

City of Leon Valley Minutes of the Meeting of the  
Community Events Committee

July 16, 2014

The meeting of the Community Events Committee convened at 6:37 p.m. on Wednesday at Leon Valley City Hall, 6400 El Verde, Leon Valley, Texas 78238.

I. ROLL CALL

Present were Chairman, Carlos Vera, Committee and Council member Ricardo Ruiz, Committee members Jackie Walton, Evelyn Scarborough and new members in attendance Cathy Nelson Travis Nelson. Also present was Sylvia T. Gomez, Administrative and Staff Liaison.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chairman Carlos Vera motioned for approval of the minutes and Member Jackie Walton seconded the motion. The Committee then moved to accept the meeting minutes of May 21, 2013 as read. The motion was passed.

III. NEW BUSINESS

Councilman Art Reyna was able to secure the Spurs Coyote but City Manager Manny Longoria and Albert Perez of Waste Management will follow-up.

Mike De La Garza of MDL Grand Company, will secure the parade Grand Marshalls of Senator Leticia Van De Putte, State Representative Justin Rodriguez and perhaps the Spurs Coyote as another Grand Marshall. All will be asked to stay for the ceremony after the parade.

Committee member Cathy Nelson asked if the committee had asked for a donation of flags from Dixie Flag Company and would pursue that idea. Staff Liaison Sylvia Irwin advised flags and fans are usually purchased from Oriental Trading Company.

Staff Liaison announced that local resident Dyhanara Rios would be singing the National Anthem at the ceremony. The HEB Buddy, Peter Piper Dinosaur and Baskin-Robins ice cream cone are listed as parade participants. In addition, our media sponsor will be KSAT.

Chairman, Carlos Vera, Committee and Council member Ricardo Ruiz, Committee members Jackie Walton, Evelyn Scarborough, Cathy Nelson and Travis Nelson agreed to a six to eight car club limit but we not turn anyone away at the parade site.

Staff Liaison Sylvia Gomez discussed that the Historical Society would hold a 5K run along with the 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration.

A marked trail and inquiry as to parking for the disabled on Poss were concerns.

#### IV. OTHER BUSINESS

Chairman Carlos Vera threw out dates for our two June meetings of June 2<sup>nd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> and perhaps June 25<sup>th</sup> if we should hold our regular event meetings.

Further, a joint meeting between the Community Events Committee and Festival Committee was announced to be held with Mike De La Garza and Director Kristie Flores on Wednesday, June 18, 2014.

#### V. ADJOURN

A motion to adjourn was made by Chairman Carlos Vera and seconded by Jackie Walton. The meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m.

CHAIR

Carlos Vera

Date

7/16/2014

Staff

Sylvia J. Gomez

Date

7/16/2014